

6 ~~con't~~ having a shape for insertion into and removal from the security slot, said locking arm moveable  
7 between a locked position and an unlocked position;  
8 a pin, coupling the housing to the security slot when said locking arm is in said  
9 locked position, for inhibiting transition of said locking arm to said unlocked position; and  
10 a cable, coupled to said housing, for attachment to an object other than to the  
11 portable electronic object wherein said cable constrains movement of the portable electronic  
12 object.

1 57. The locking device of claim 56 wherein said locking member forms a T-shape with  
2 said locking arm.

1 58. The locking device of claim 57 wherein said locking member matches a peripheral  
2 profile of the security slot.

1 59. The locking device of claim 56 wherein said locking arm rotates between said locked  
2 position and said unlocked position.

1 60. The locking device of claim 56 wherein said rotation is about an axis perpendicular to  
2 a plane containing the security slot.

1 61. A locking device system for ~~inhibiting~~ theft of a portable object, comprising:  
2 a portable object having a wall defining a security slot;  
3 a housing;  
4 a moveable locking arm extending from said housing and having a locking member at an end of  
5 said arm that extends outside of said housing, said locking member having a shape for insertion into and removal  
6 from said security slot, said locking arm moveable between a locked position and an unlocked position;  
7 a pin, coupling the housing to said security slot when said locking arm is in said locked position,  
8 for inhibiting transition of said locking arm to said unlocked position; and  
9 a cable, coupled to said housing, for attachment to an object other than to said portable object.

1 62. The locking device of claim 61 wherein said locking member forms a T-shape with  
2 said locking arm.

1 63. The locking device of claim 62 wherein said locking member matches a peripheral  
2 profile of said security slot.

1                   64.     The locking device of claim 61 wherein said locking arm rotates between said locked  
2 position and said unlocked position.

1                   65.     The locking device of claim 61 wherein said rotation is about an axis perpendicular to  
2 a plane containing said security slot.

1                   66. (Canceled)

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1                   68. (Canceled).

1                   69. (Canceled)

1                   70. (Canceled)

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1                   Sub 3 71. (One Time Amended)     A locking device for attaching to a security slot in  
2 a portable object, comprising:

3                   a housing;

4                   a moveable locking arm extending from said housing and having a locking  
5 member at an end of said arm that extends outside of said housing, said locking member  
6 having a shape for insertion into and removal from the security slot, said locking arm moveable  
7 between a locked position and an unlocked position with said locking member insertable into  
8 and removeable from the security slot when said locking arm is in said unlocked position;

9                   at least one securing member, coupled to the security slot when said locking  
10 arm is in said locked position, for inhibiting transition of said locking arm to a disengagement  
11 position; and

12                   a cable, coupled to said housing, for attachment to an object other than to the  
13 portable object wherein said cable constrains movement of the portable object.

1                   72.     The locking device of claim 71 wherein said locking member forms a T-shape with  
2 said locking arm.

1                   73.     The locking device of claim 72 wherein said locking member matches a peripheral  
2 profile of the security slot.

1                   74.     The locking device of claim 71 wherein said locking arm rotates between said locked  
2 position and said unlocked position.

1                   75.     The locking device of claim 71 wherein said rotation is about an axis perpendicular to  
2 a plane containing the security slot.

1                   76.     The locking device of claim 71 wherein said disengagement position matches said  
2 unlocked position.

1                   77.     A locking device system for inhibiting theft of a portable object, comprising:  
2 a portable object having a wall defining a security slot;  
3 a housing;  
4 a moveable locking arm extending from said housing and having a locking member at an end of  
5 said arm that extends outside of said housing, said locking member having a shape for insertion into and removal  
6 from said security slot, said locking arm moveable between a locked position and an unlocked position with said  
7 locking member insertable into and removeable from the security slot when said locking arm is in said unlocked  
8 position;

9                   at least one securing member, coupled to said security slot when said locking arm is in said  
10 locked position, for inhibiting transition of said locking arm to a disengagement position; and  
11 a cable, coupled to said housing, for attachment to an object other than to the portable object.

1                   78.     The locking device of claim 77 wherein said locking member forms a T-shape with  
2 said locking arm.

1                   79.     The locking device of claim 78 wherein said locking member matches a peripheral  
2 profile of the security slot.

1                   80.     The locking device of claim 77 wherein said locking arm rotates between said locked  
2 position and said unlocked position.

1                   81.     The locking device of claim 77 wherein said rotation is about an axis perpendicular to  
2 a plane containing the security slot.

1                   82.     The locking device of claim 77 wherein said disengagement position matches said  
2 unlocked position.

1                   ✓ 83. (Canceled)